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Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
April 28th, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place JOHN MURRAY, of Spence's Bridge, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace in and for the Electoral District of Yale.

Proclamation.

[L. S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, and to all whom it may concern—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, } **W**HEREAS we have thought
Attorney-General. } fit, by and with the advice
and consent of Our Executive Council of Our said Province of British Columbia, to prorogue the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, till the Twentieth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

NOW KNOW YE that we do for that end, publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby prorogue the Legislative Assembly accordingly, until the

Twentieth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twentieth day of June next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this 18th day of April, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court.

Government Notices.

NOTICE.

SPRING CIRCUIT.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Victoria..... Wednesday, 16th May,
Nanaimo..... Wednesday, 9th "
New Westminster... Wednesday, 30th "

Dated, 13th day of April, 1877.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Attorney-General and Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE

IS hereby given, that the following parcels of land situated in the Osoyoos Division of the Yale District were reserved for the use of the Indians in 1871, viz:—

A piece of land situate near the head of Osoyoos Lake (its western boundary) and taking both sides of a tributary of that lake known as "Oh-com-eith" or Little Creek; thence running in an easterly direction through a narrow valley for about 2½ miles to a small lake.

A tract of land embracing the land on both sides of the Ashmolan River, a tributary of the Similkameen River, and terminating on the East side at a bluff close to the bank of the latter River, and upon the West by a small creek running into Similkameen River.

A piece of land situated at the Eighteen mile creek from Keremeos on the Hope trail, and extending to another creek about three miles distant in an easterly direction on the said trail.

F. GEO. VERNON,
*Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, February 3rd, 1877.*

NOTICE.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
February 17th, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue of the authority of the "Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act, 1872," District No. 4 under the said Act is hereby varied by taking therefrom that portion known as the Polling Division of Kamloops in the Electoral District of Yale; and the said Polling Division of Kamloops is hereby created a District under the said Act, by the title of "District No. 11."

By Command.

A. C. ELLIOTT,

Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

TOWNSHIPS Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Lillooet, have been sub-divided by survey, and the Map thereof has been deposited in the office of M. O'Connor, Esq., Clinton.

Township No. 1.

	Section.
N. half	25
N. half	26
N.E. F. quarter	32
S.E. F. quarter	32
N.W. F. quarter	32
S. half	33
S. half	34
S. half	35
S. half	36

Township No. 2

S. half	1
S. half	2
E. half	5
N.W. F. quarter	5
S.W. F. quarter	5
N.W. F. quarter	7
N.E. F. quarter	7
S.E. F. quarter	7
N.W. quarter	8
S.W. F. quarter	8
W. half of E. half	8
W. half of S.W. quarter	17
E. half	18
N.W. F. quarter	18
S.W. F. quarter	18
S. half of S. half	19

Township No. 3.

S. half	7
S. half	8
N. half of S. half of S. half	9
S. half of N. half of S. half	9
N. 30 chains of S. half	10
S. 30 chains of N. half	10
N. 30 chains of S.W. quarter	11
S. 30 chains of N.W. quarter	11

Township No. 4.

W. half	6
S. W. quarter	7
N. half	7
N. half	8
S.W. quarter of S.E. quarter	15
S.E. quarter of S.W. quarter	15
N.W. quarter of S.W. quarter	15
N.E. quarter	16
N.W. F. quarter	16
S. F. half of N.E. quarter	17
S. half	17

Township No. 6.

N.E. F. quarter	13
S. F. half of S. F. half	24

Township No. 7.

N.E. F. quarter	11
S.E. F. quarter	11
W. half of E. half	12
W. F. half	13
W. half of S.E. quarter	24
E. F. half of S.W. quarter	24

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Land Commissioner, Clinton.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, 3rd February, 1877.

NOTICE.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following highway, sixty-six feet (66) in width, is hereby established in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, viz:—

Commencing at a point in the existing road opposite Fortune's flour mill, situate on the North West quarter of Section 15, Township No. 201; thence in a Westerly direction following the centre line of the present road, 1050 links more or less, to a point in the section line between sections 15 and 16, and distant 1250 links due South from the corner between Sections 15, 16, 21, and 22; thence

S. 64° 30' W. magnetic 1000 links,

S. 13° 00' " 840 links,

S. 53° 00' " 470 links,

to the shore of Kamloops Lake, including thirty-three (33) feet on each side thereof.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,

Victoria, 17th February, 1877.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Lillooet, have been subdivided by survey, and a map thereof has been deposited in the office of M. O'Connor, Esq., Clinton:—

Township No. 8.

	Section.
S. E. Fractional Quarter	1
N. E. "	1
N. W. "	1
N. E. "	2
S. E. "	11
N. E. "	11
S. W. Quarter	12
S. E. Quarter	12
W. Half of N. W. Quarter	12
W. 28 chains of E. Half	14
S. W. Fractional Quarter	14
N. W. "	14
N. E. "	15
W. W. "	22
N. E. "	22
S. E. "	22
W. Fraction 24 chains of W. Half	23
W. 14 chains of E. Half	27
N. W. Quarter	27
S. W. Fractional Quarter	27
N. E. "	28
S. E. "	28
N. E. "	33
S. E. "	33
N. W. "	33
S. W. "	33

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875,"

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the Office of the Land Commissioner, Clinton.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, 17th February, 1877.

TOWNSHIP NO. 23.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivision of land in Township No. 23, is reserved for Government purposes:—

Lot 245, Group 2.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, February, 17th, 1877.

YALE DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Section No. 2 Kamloops-Nicola Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, June 18th next, for the construction of a Waggon Road.

Plans and Specifications can be seen and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Government Agent, Kamloops, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to \$2,000 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 26th, 1877.*

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been subdivided by survey and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster:—

Lots 353 and 354, Group 1.

Lots 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, Group 1, North Arm, Fraser River.

Sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, and part of 7, 8, 15, and 24 in Township No. 26.

Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, and part of 7, 8, 10, and 11 in Township No. 27.

West $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 6, and South $\frac{1}{2}$ of South $\frac{1}{2}$ of West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 7 in Township No. 30.

And that claimants to any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of Proof and Declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 28th, 1877.*

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands in Osoyoos Division of Yale District have been sub-divided by survey and the maps thereof have been deposited in the office of C. A. Vernon, Esq., Okanagan.

Sections 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, and 35, Township No. 26.

Portions of Sections 12, 13, 24, and 25, Township No. 25.

Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, and 26, Township No. 23.

Lots 117 and 118, Group 1, Township No. 20.

Lots 87 and 88, Group 1, Townships 3 and 6.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 28th, 1877.*

Miscellaneous Notices.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estates and Effects of CHARLES PATRICK DONNELLY, JOHN McCORMICK, and OLIVER HARE, deceased Intestates.

ALL persons who are indebted to the above Estates are required to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said Estates, are requested to send in their accounts, duly proved, on or before the 27th April, 1877, to

CHAS. E. POOLEY,

Official Administrator.

Victoria, 27th January, 1877.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, Norman Bole, of Number 20, Rutland Square, in the City of Dublin, attorney-at-law and solicitor, intend to apply in the next ensuing term of the Supreme Court of British Columbia or Court of Assize, at the expiration of two months from the date hereof, to the said Courts, at the City of Victoria, to be admitted, enrolled, and allowed to practise in the Supreme Courts of law in British Columbia.

NORMAN BOLE.

Dated 26th March, 1877.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that CHARLES EDWARD POOLEY intends to apply to be called to the Bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Victoria, 9th February, 1877.

GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on and after date, Gold Dust will be received at this Office in payment of Revenue at the rate of Eighteen Dollars per ounce.

By Order,

CORNELIUS BOOTH, S. M., & G. C.

Kootenay.

Government Office,

Wild Horse Creek, April 4th, 1877.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st November next, all claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th May, 1877, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

H. M. BALL,

Gold Commissioner.

Richfield, October 17th, 1876.

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

CHEMAINUS DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that, I shall, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to JAMES DOUGLAS WARREN, of that portion of Section 7, Range VIII, Chemainus District, lying west of the Chemainus River, said to contain about nine acres more or less, unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,

Land Registry Office,

Registrar-General.

17th February, 1877.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of HENRY D. SAUNDERS, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT has issued in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my Office, Wharf Street, Victoria, on Monday, the 30th day of April, at 11 a.m., to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT,

Official Assignee.

ABSTRACT of CASH ACCOUNT of the Victoria Board of Cemetery Trustees from the 1st January, to the 31st December, 1876, (both inclusive).

Dr.		Cr.	
To Cash Balance from 1875.....	\$ 89 31		
Cemetery Fees	\$1,436 00		
Land Sales.....	800 00		
	<u>2,236 00</u>		
		By General Expenses:	
		Wages and Salaries.....	\$ 180 00
		Legal Expenses	23 00
		Commission	20 00
		Surveyor's Expenses.....	95 00
			<u>\$ 318 00</u>
		By Ross Bay Cemetery:	
		Wages and Salaries.....	600 00
		Stationery	14 75
		Printing and Advertising.....	20 00
		Travelling Expenses.....	48 75
		Insurance	15 00
			<u>698 50</u>
		Re-payment Mortgage (portion).	825 00
		Interest on do.	400 00
			<u>1,225 00</u>
		Cash Balance	83 81
			<u>\$2,325 31</u>
Jan. 1st, 1877, Balance in hand	\$2,325 31		
	83 81		

We, the undersigned, declare that to the best of our knowledge, the Account appearing in the Cash Book belonging to the Cemetery Board, for the year ending 31st December, 1876, and the abstract of such Account above written are correct and true.

R. P. RITHET,
J. H. TURNER,
J. E. McMILLAN.

Gold Commissioner's Court.

ON and after the 1st of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District may be laid over till the 15th of June, 1877, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

A. W. VOWELL,
Gold Commissioner.

Laketon, September 1st, 1876.

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

NORTH SAANICH DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I shall in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to GEORGE MILLS, of Sections 9, 10, 11 and 12, Range I. East, and Section 12, Range I. West, in the North Saanich District, unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, 9th February, 1877.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of SIMONE FILIPPINE, otherwise called PHILLIPINE LEMOINE, deceased.

THE debtors and creditors of Simone Filippine, late of Alkali lake, Lillooet District, who died on or about the 11th day of March, 1877, are required to pay their debts, and furnish particulars of their claims respectively to C. E. Pooley, Esq., Official Administrator, Victoria, within one month from this date.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1877.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor to the Estate,
Victoria.

NOTICE

IS hereby given, that on and after the 1st January, 1877, all Retail Liquor Licences for any Mining Creek upon which there shall be over 50 miners or others, will be chargeable as Licences of a like nature in a Town of not less than 50 inhabitants, viz: \$100 for each half year ending respectively on 30th June, and 31st December.

A. W. VOWELL.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on and after the Sixteenth (16th) day of October, 1876, all Mining Claims legally held in the District of Kootenay will be laid over until the First (1st) day of June, 1877, subject to the Provincial Statutes and Ordinances made and provided for governing the working of Mining Claims during the close season.

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Gold Commissioner.

Wild Horse Creek, 30th September, 1876.

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

CEDAR DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I shall in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to MARK BATE, of those pieces of land, situate in Cedar District, known as Section 14, Range V; Section 14, Range IV; and the East part of Section 14, Range III, containing together 179 acres more or less, unless objection be made to me in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office,
4th May, 1877.
Registrar-General.

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